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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated Aug 30, 2004, please consider the following request for the above identified patent application as follows:

REMARKS

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The Applicant's respresentative, on review of the file folder, has noticed that the IDS submitted Oct 7, 2002 has not been received and initialed as having been reviewed. The Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review this IDS as it was timely submitted. This response was not earlier presented as the discrepancy was noticed for the first time upon inspection of the file based on the Notice of Allowance. Entry of this response is respectfully requested.

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